

Offertory Prayer

Please join me in our offertory prayer:

Merciful Father, we offer with joy and thanksgiving what You have first given us – ourselves, our time, and our possessions, sings of Your gracious love. Receive them for the sake of Him who offered His life for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

You may be seated as we go to a time of prayer for the people of God and for all people according to their needs.

HEAR MINISTRIES

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE For Sunday. October 12th, 2025

Father, with grateful hearts we bow before You to praise Your name and give thanks for Your compassion which covers the whole earth. Like Ruth and the thankful leper, we pray You would give us thankful hearts that reach out in faith to You and love to others.

Lord, in Your mercy.....**Hear our prayer.**

Lord of all, Your servant Ruth faithfully cared for Naomi in her solitude and later years. Bless all adult children with wisdom and compassion as they care for their aging parents, and give their parents a humble spirit to accept needed assistance.

Lord, in Your mercy.....**Hear our prayer.**

Compassionate Savior, look upon all who suffer from devastating illnesses and diseases all over the world. Comfort them with Your grace and empower humanity to use our abundant resources to bring healing and love to our most vulnerable neighbors.

Lord, in Your mercy.....**Hear our prayer.**

God of all mercy, You accompanied Ruth and placed her in a blessed union with Boaz. Remember Your people who are single and desire marriage. Be their companion in their solitude, and provide them a godly spouse and family according to Your will.

Lord, in Your mercy.....**Hear our prayer.**

We pray, Lord, for all who do not know Jesus as their Lord and Savior. We pray their hearts would be open and that You would put someone in their path to

share with them the Good News of salvation through Jesus Christ. We know that is Your will, Lord – that all would come to know You. We pray for those in our families, communities, schools, neighborhoods and all over the world. Lord, in Your mercy.....**Hear our prayer.**

God of Justice, You provide all that we need for this body and life, including health and order. Watch over all who exercise authority in our nation, giving them integrity, justice and compassion. Lord, in Your mercy.....**Hear our prayer.**

Compassionate Lord, comfort those who mourn and are in need of healing, encouragement and hope, especially those on our hearts and minds today *(leave time for silent prayer)*. As our Great Physician, mend the bodies and uplift the spirits of all these loved ones. Lord, in Your mercy.....**Hear our prayer.**

We ask all these things humbly in the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

Let us join together in the prayer Jesus taught us to pray:

**Our Father, who art in heaven,
Hallowed be Thy name.
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done,
On earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
And forgive us our trespasses
As we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
But deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory,
Forever and ever.
Amen.**

And now receive the morning blessing:

**May the Grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,
The Love of the Father,
And the Communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
*(Congregation sings 3-fold Amen.)***

